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TOPIC Strausberg Airfield

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1. No flying was observed at Strausberg airfield up to 25 October 1951, except for 11 October when four fighters were observed flying. \* determine whether the number of planes stationed at the field had changed. \* New Russian dependents had arrived at the field. A fireman said that the Russian women were given infantry training at the airfield. Motor vehicles which were observed entering and leaving the field included trucks

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2. At 4 p.m. on 25 October, two biplanes took off from the field. Two single-engine aircraft were parked between the destroyed hangars. An estimated 300 men were stationed at the field, although the billeting facilities could hold about 1,200 men. Trucks were observed on 24 and 25 October. One searchlight each were set up near the ruins of the former hangar and the intact hangar. A radio mast 15 meters high was observed in the billeting area of the field.

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- \* Comment. The presence of some conventional single-engine aircraft was confirmed. However, the type of air force unit stationed at the field could not be determined. the unit is possibly a training unit of a ground attack regiment.

- \*\* Comment. The reported do not indicate the type and assignment of the air force unit stationed at the field.

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